

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

A/F/3722/ EpT:me38# Notice appeal

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

APPLICANT: Petkovsek

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EXAMINER: Henderson

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GROUP ART: 3722

INVENTION:

SPECIAL SERVICE MAILING LABEL CAPABLE OF RECEIVING ELECTRONICALLY **IMAGED** POSTAGE

METHOD FOR USING SAME"

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Rejection dated February 13, 2003 in which the Examiner finally rejected Claims 1-7.

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$160.00, the requisite fee for filing this notice. In addition, Applicant petitions the Patent Office to extend the time limit for responding to the Final Rejection for three months so that the time period is extended to August 13, 2003. Also enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$465.00, the requisite fee for requesting this threemonth extension of time.

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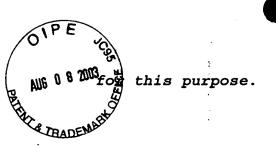
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